



November 4, 2020

To Our Residents and Family Members:

Yesterday 11/3/2020 we reported that we had 5 additional staff members test positive for COVID-19 but all residents tested negative for COVID-19. Today 11/4/2020 we had another staff member present with signs and symptoms of COVID-19 so we conducted a rapid test on this individual. This test was positive for COVID-19. We will still be testing all staff this Friday 11/6/2020 and all residents again on Tuesday 11/10/2020.

Because of new federal requirements if we receive a positive test we are required to test all residents and staff every 3-7 days until we have no positive cases in the facility. Unfortunately, due to having positive cases we have had to stop our inside visitation. As soon as we are clear of all COVID-19 in the facility for 14 days we will resume visitation. Residents are also still quarantined in their room and beautician services are still postponed.

We are working with local and state health officials to ensure we are taking all the appropriate steps.

We are still encouraging family members to connect with their loved ones through video chat, calling, texting, or other social media formats.

We know this continues to be a difficult time for everyone. We will continue to update you as we have updates to give.

Sincerely,

Gabe Stoll

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